GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Commercial Taxes Dept., – Surprise Check conducted over the Integrated Check Post of Commercial Taxes and Transport Depts., B.V.Palem, Tada Mandal, SPSR Nellore District on 18-01-2014 – Allegations of Corruption – Common disciplinary proceedings initiated – Articles of Charge framed against Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, CT Dept., – Ordered inquiry under Rule 20 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 - WSD Received - REO & PO appointed - Charged Officer Expired-Examined - Further action abated-Orders-Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.762 **Dated :17-07-2019**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.418, Revenue (Vigilance-II) Dept., dt.15-05-2015.
2. WSD of Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, dated:Nil
3. G.O.Rt.No.1078, Revenue (Vigilance-II) Dept., dt.02.11.2016.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1079, Revenue (Vigilance-II) Dept., dt.02.11.2016.
5. From the CCST Lr.No.V1/256/2015, dated:03.12.2018.

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O R D E R:

Whereas in the reference 1st read above, disciplinary action was initiated against Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department duly issuing Article of Charges, for the irregularities noticed against him during the surprise check conducted by the Anti Corruption Bureau over the Integrated Check Post, Bheemunivaripalem, Tada Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, on 18.01.2014 and directed to submit within ten days of the receipt of this order a written statement of his defense. In the reference second read above, the Charged Officer Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department has submitted his written statement of his defense denying the charges. The same was not found convincing.

2. Whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, Government in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 appointed Appellate Deputy Commissioner, Commercial Taxes, Tirupathi as Inquiry Authority, to inquire into the charges framed against the above Charged Officer. In the reference 4th read above, Government in exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 20(5) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, appointed the Assistant Commissioner of Commercial Taxes (Audit) O/o Deputy Commissioner, Commercial Tax, Nellore as the Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiry Authority on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority.

3. Whereas, in the reference 5th read above, the Chief Commissioner of State Taxes while enclosing a copy of the death certificate of Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department and representation of Smt. S. Venkata Ramanamma, W/o. Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department has informed that the Commercial Tax Officer, Kavali addressed a letter to the Deputy Commissioner (Commercial Taxes), Nellore stating that Sri Srinivasulu Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department **expired on** 29.08.2017 while in service and hence, the Chief Commissioner of State Taxes has requested to issue appropriate orders on abatement of the charges pending against Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department.

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4. Whereas, Government after examining the matter in detail and after obtaining advice from the advisory Departments, have decided and hereby order to abate all further proceedings against Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, (Suspected Officer-12), Commercial Taxes Department as the Charged Officer expired on 29.08.2017 while in service, subject to the condition that if any loss caused to Government due to the negligence of the above Charged Officer is detected in future, the same will be recovered from his legal representatives as per rules.

5. The Chief Commissioner, State Tax, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.D.SAMBASIVA RAO
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (CT, EXCISE & R&S)

To

The legal representatives of late Sri S.Srinivasulu, Attender, Commercial Taxes Department, Integrated Check Post, Bheemunivaripalem, Tada Mandal, SPSR Nellore District (**through** Chief Commissioner (State Tax), Andhra Pradesh, Eedupugallu, Vijayawada)

The Chief Commissioner (State Tax), Andhra Pradesh, Eedupugallu, Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, P.N.Bus Station, NTR Administrative Block, II Floor, Vijayawada.

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Secretariat Building No.5, Velagapudi, Guntur District.

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//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER